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SUBJECT : Withdrawal from Issue of **Application No. 10/644,472**

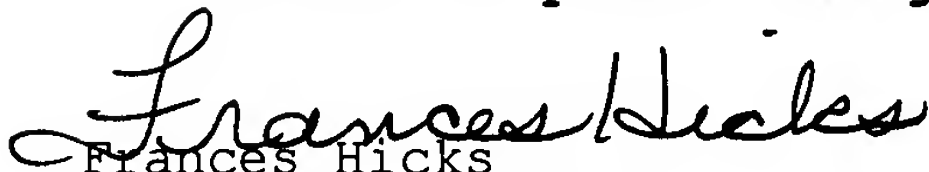
Applicant(s) : Ricardo L. de Queiroz et al
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The above-identified application has been assigned Patent No. 6,938,973 and an issue date of September 6, 2005.

It is hereby directed that this application be withdrawn from issue at the request of the applicant. Do not refund the issue fee.

The following erratum should be published in the Official Gazette if the above-identified application is published in the OG of September 6, 2005:

"All reference to Patent No. 6,938,973 to Ricardo L. de Queiroz et al of Brazil for SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR DIGITAL WATERMARKING IN A CALIBRATED PRINTING PATH appearing in the Official Gazette of September 6, 2005 should be deleted since no patent was granted."



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